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- 1. Miljanich et al., United States Patent No. 5,424,218 (June 13, 1995);
- 2. K.J. Nielsen et al., (1996) "A Consensus Structure for ω-Conotoxins with Different Selectivities for Voltage-sensitive Calcium Channel Subtypes: Comparison of MVIIA, SVIB and SNX-202", (Journal of Molecular Biology, Vol. 263, pgs. 297-310; and
- 3. K. Sato et al. (1997), "Binding of Chimeric Analogs of ω-Conotoxin MVIIA and MVIIC to the N- and P7Q-type Calcium Channels", (FEBS Letters, Vol. 414, pgs. 480-484.

Applicants are also enclosing a copy of an International Search Report issued relative to the counterpart International Application No. PCT/AU99/00288.

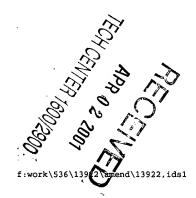
Consideration of this Information Disclosure Statement is respectfully requested, since the information provided herewith may be material to the examination of the present application as defined under 35 U.S.C. §1.56(a)

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